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Moſcow, September 3, *O. S.*

THE 30th of laſt Month being St. Alexander's Day, all the Knights of that Order, as well as the Foreign Miniſters, were invited to Court, and had the Honour to dine with her Czariſh Majeſty, who gave General Weisbach the Order of St. Alexander, as well as to Prince Chercasky, Felt Marſhal Trubetzkoy, and Count Wratiſlaus. At Night there was a great Supper at Court, and a fine Firework. That Day is always ſolemnized with great Pomp, not only becauſe Peter the Firſt inſtituted the Order of St. Alexander, but alſo becauſe it was the Day that the Peace was ſigned at Nieuſtadt between the Muſcovites and the Swedes. General Weisbach ſet out Yeſterday for Poland, being named her Czariſh Majeſty's Miniſter Plenipotentiary at the Diet of Grodno. Her Majeſty is raiſing a new Regiment of Foot Guards, which is to be compoſed of 2000 Gentlemen, and Major General Count Leuenvolde is appointed Colonel. All the Officers are to be Livonians or Foreigners; they are to be called the Third Regiment of her Majeſty's Body Guards, being to take Rank after the Preobraſansky and Simeneoffsky Guards. Prince Charbatoff, who was the Czarina's Miniſter in Spain, is to go with the ſame Character to Berlin; from whence Prince Gallitzen is ſoon to return hither.

Warſaw, Sept. 23, *N. S.* M. Potocky, the Primate's Nephew, is arrived here from Moſcow, having been ſent thither ſome Months ago by the Primate, to compliment her Czariſh Majeſty upon her Acceſſion to the Crown, that Family being nearly related to her. The Czarina has conferred upon him the Order of St. Andrew, and made him a Preſent of 5000 Ducats, beſides ſeveral other things to a conſiderable Value. He relates that that Country is in great Tranquility, and her Czariſh Majeſty very much beloved by her Subjects. The Duke of Courland and the Duke of Weiſſenfelds have both asked his Poliſh Majeſty's Conſent for the former's marrying a Niece of the latter, which his Majeſty has granted; ſo it is thought that Marriage will be ſoon concluded. The Duke of Courland is now very deſirous of doing Homage to the King of Poland, and has appointed M. Bulow, who was formerly a Deputy from the Nobility at this Court, to perform the Ceremony for him, which, it is ſaid, will be during the Diet. The King of Poland ſet out for Grodno this Afternoon, and the Primate, who arrived here laſt Night, and had a long Audience of his Majeſty this Morning, will ſet out to Morrow.

Warſaw, Oct. 3, *N. S.* The Marqueſs de Monti, Ambaſſadour from the moſt Chriſtian King, and the Pope's Nuncio, are gone for Grodno; from whence we have received Advice, that the King arrived there ſafe the 30th of laſt Month.

Dreſden, Oct. 10, *N. S.* The Count de Watzdorp has been nominated by his Poliſh Majeſty to go to the Court of Great Britain with the Character of Envoy Extraordinary, and he will ſet out forthwith.

Trinity-Houſe, London, Oct. 7, 1730.

The Maſter, Wardens, and Aſſiſtants, of the Trinity Houſe, give Notice, That the lower Light-Houſe at Orfordneſs in Suffolk was waſhed away by the Sea on the 5th Inſtant, but that Directions are given for the Maintenance of a Light there in the beſt Manner that is poſſible, till a new Light-Houſe can be built.

By Order, John Whormby.

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